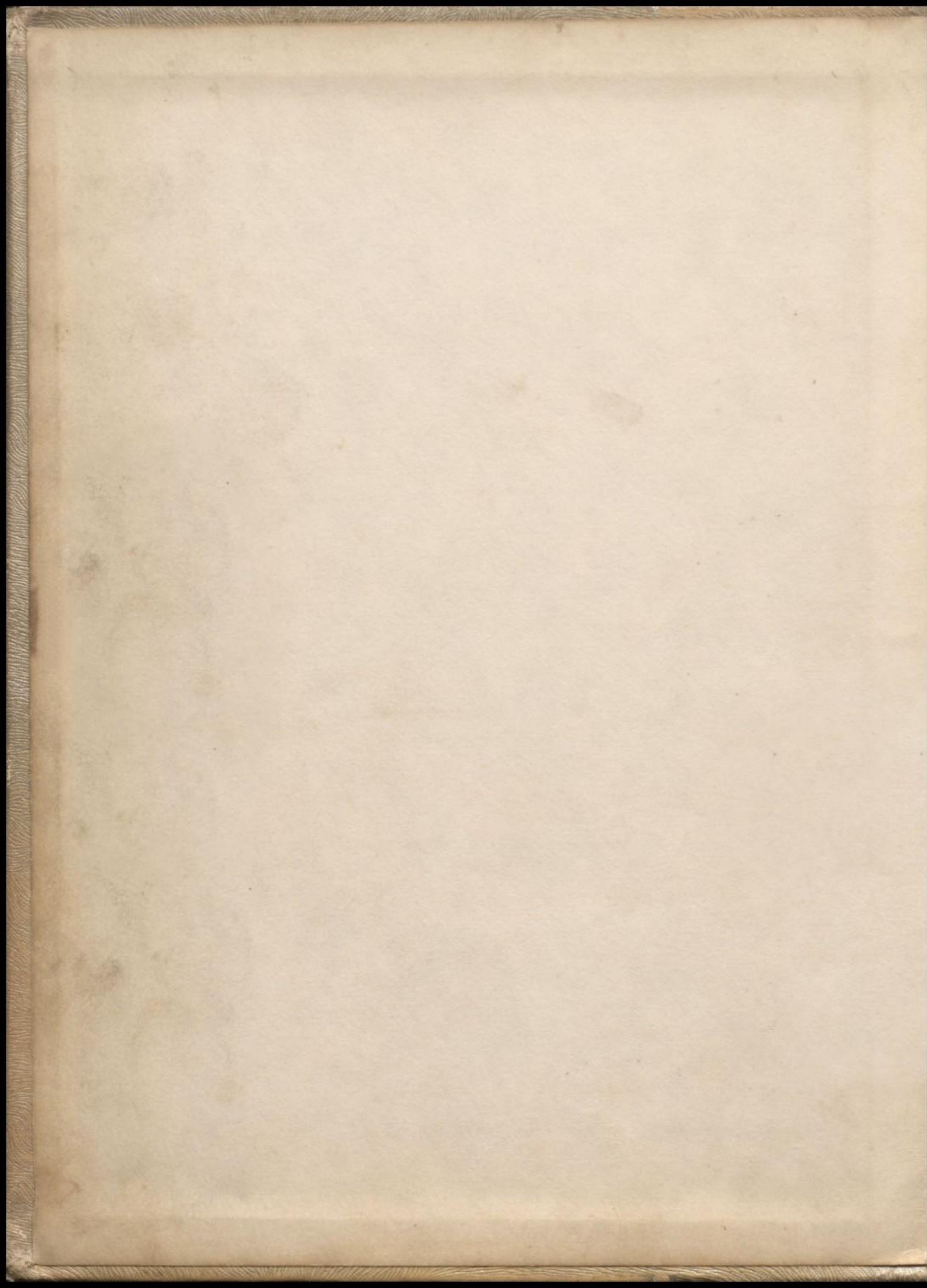
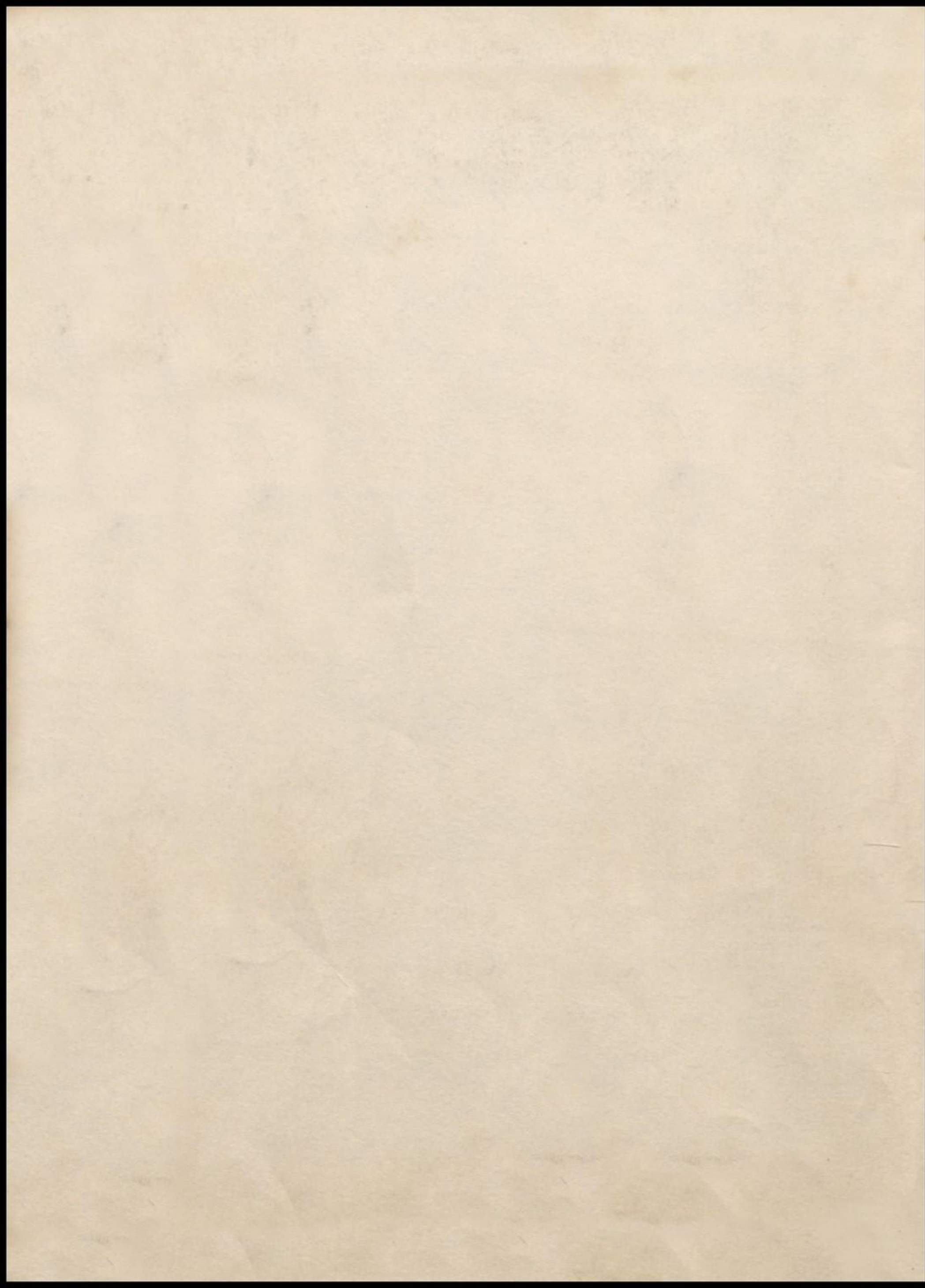


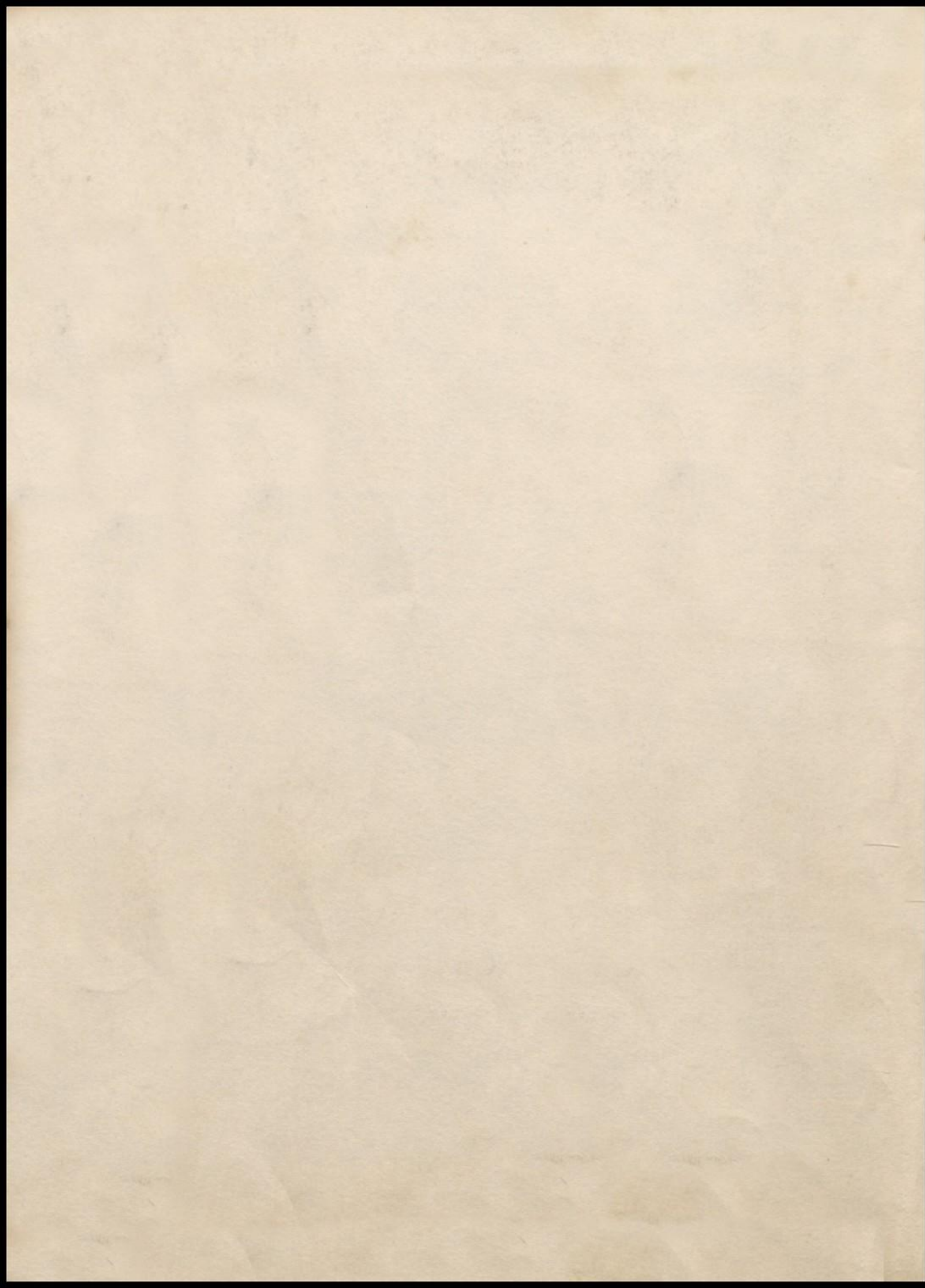


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THE TROJAN







*The '56
Highlights
of*

*Crab Orchard
High School
Marion, Illinois
Route 3*



Editors

COLLEEN WHARRY

NAIDA BURCH

Foreword

We, the Senior Class of Crab Orchard High School, are happy to present to you this 1955-56 Trojan. We hope that it will always be a remembrance of our many friends and activities during this school year. As the years pass, we hope that you can turn through this annual and recall many good times.

We thank you for your co-operation in helping us make this yearbook.

Future Editors

JEWELL PARTON

PHYLLIS KOBLER





ADMINISTRATION

Superintendent's Message

I am certainly proud of the privilege of having the association of the staff and teachers that are responsible for the production of our annual and of the boys and girls whose activities have contributed to this co-operative effort. The success that you have attained here is an indication of the extent of your accomplishments in later life.

As there is a direct relationship between success and happiness, we should all be happy in this achievement, keeping in mind that the enjoyment we receive from success is not measured by the height we attain, but rather by the distance that we have to travel to attain it.

It is my sincere prayer that you have God's Speed as you proceed up the ladder of success and that you are ever mindful, that the people you trample on in your eagerness to ascend to greater glory, you are sure to meet again when you come down.

Stephen H. Clark

Board of Education



Left to right: Ott Legereit, Walter Stahlhut, Theodore Parks, President; Raymond Kobler, Secretary; Loren Nolen, Tenneyson Tanner, Richard Rebecca, not present.

Principal's Message

In all our efforts for education—in providing adequate schools, research and study—we must never lose sight of the very heart of education; good teaching itself.

Good teachers do not just happen. They are the product of the highest personal motivations, encouraged and helped in their work by adequate salaries, respect, support, and good-will of their neighbors.

I am proud to be a part of the Crab Orchard High School and Crab Orchard High School is proud to have your sons and daughters.

As the Principal of the Crab Orchard High School I pledge my best efforts, supplemented by your cooperation and best wishes. I am sure your high school days will always be remembered as the happiest and most wonderful days of your life. May God be with each and every one of you.

La Verne Sanders



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MR. BETHEL

MRS. McDONALD



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MR. SHELTON

MRS. RICHEY



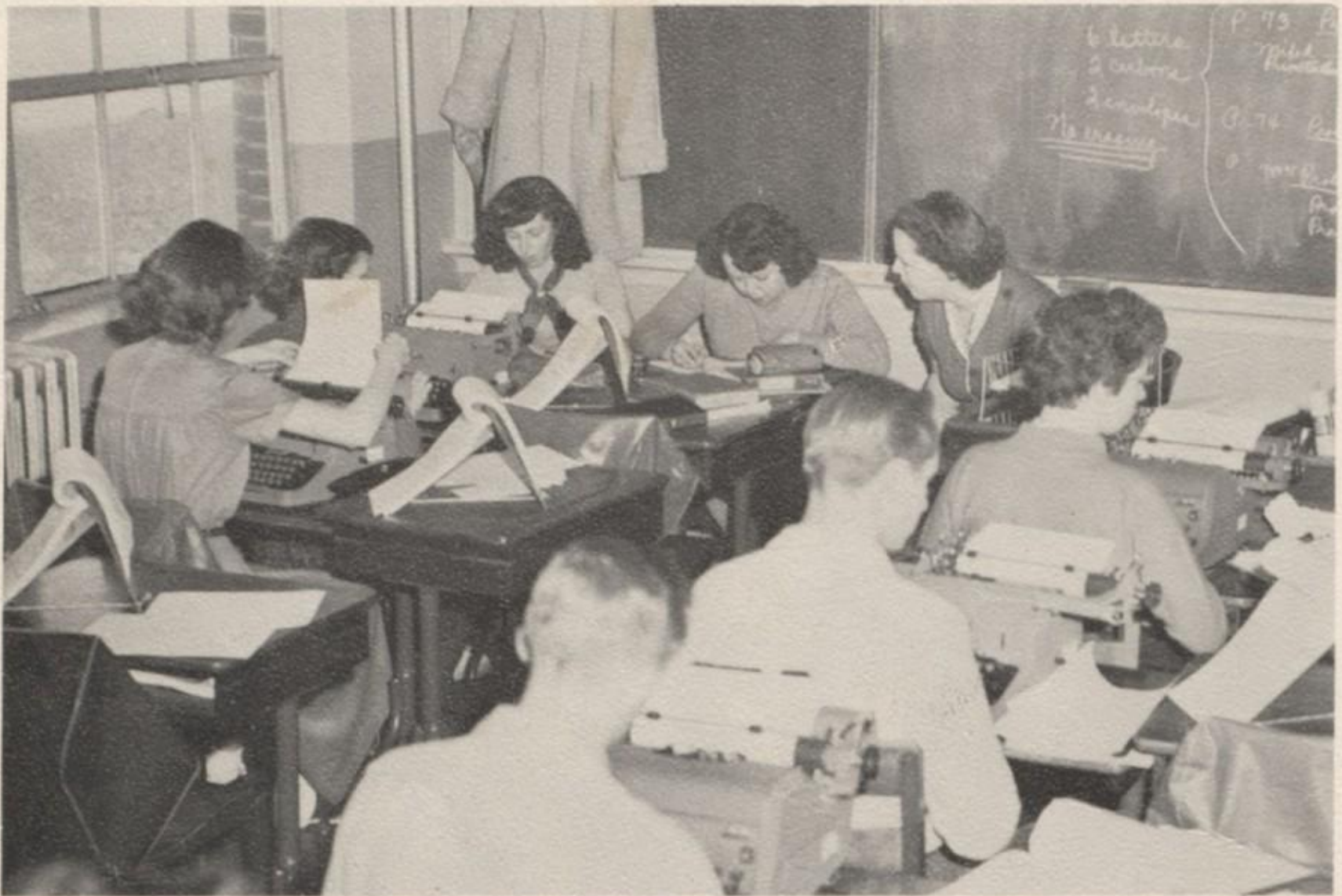
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They Are Always Busy



Something New at C.O.H.S.

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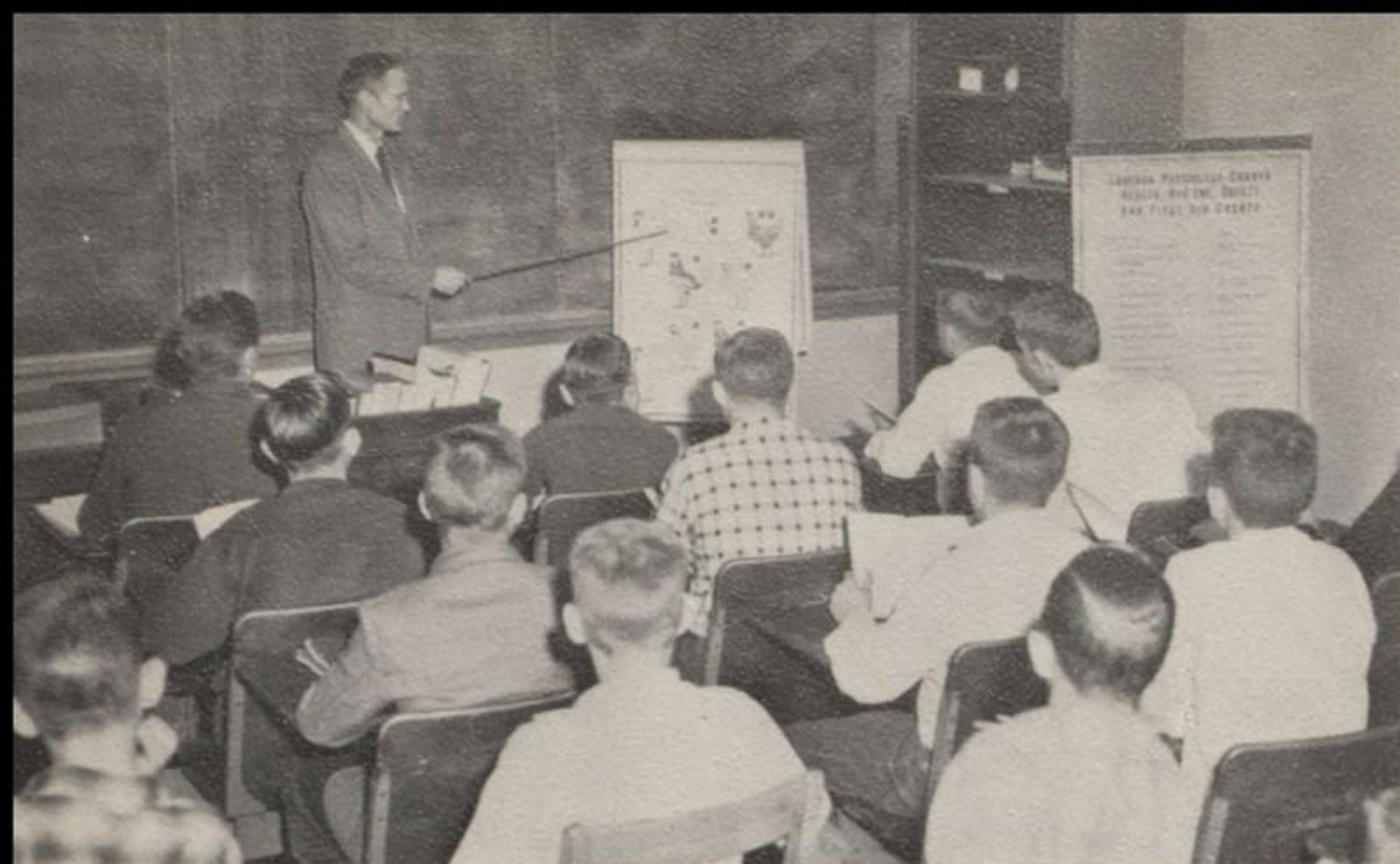


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SENIORS

Senior Officers

Secretary - Treasurer

BETTY BEASLEY

President

J. W. MERRELL

Vice President

NAIDA BURCH



History

In August, 1952, 64 Freshmen began their studies at Crab Orchard High School. This was an event we had looked forward to for many years. We immediately elected officers who were Barbara Taylor, Charles Rector, and Carolyn Holmes. Three boys made the basketball team that year. They were Donald Reps, Dale Hanks, and Charles Rector. Three Homecoming queen candidates were chosen that year, one of which was Barbara Taylor, a Freshman. We began our Sophomore year with 34 enrolled which was considerably smaller because many of those who had come to our school from Creal Springs were now going to Marion. Our officers were Larry Shaw, Gary Nolen and Gene Parks. The Homecoming queen was chosen from our class in 1953. Her Majesty, Velma Graves, ruled the sports activities during that year. We also contributed a queen candidate, Mary Springs. Sophomore boys on the basketball team were Larry Shaw, Dale Hanks, J. W. Merrell and Paul Curry. Our class favorites were Janet Cox and Paul Curry, and Naida Burch was named as one of the most attractive, Shirley Borum--most athletic, and Alice Parks--friendliest. There were 36 in our class during our Junior year. Our class favorites were Larry Shaw and Shirley Borum. Other school favorites were Velma Graves--most studious, Mary Springs--most likely to succeed, Naida Burch--most attractive, Colleen Wharry--most athletic, and Kay Springhart--most flirtatious. Josephine Scott, a Junior was chosen as our Homecoming queen. Our class officers were Gene Parks, Alice Parks, and Shirley Borum. We contributed Ronald Bundren, J. W. Merrell, Dale Hanks, and Larry Shaw to the basketball squad, and Velma Graves and Alice Parks were cheerleaders. As we end our high school days, we have 31 in our class and our officers are J. W. Merrell, Naida Burch, and Betty Beasley. We chose Janet Cox and Larry Shaw as our favorites, and other school favorites from our class are: Naida Burch and Larry Shaw--most attractive, J. W. Merrell and Shirley Borum--most athletic, Mary Springs and Gary Nolen--most likely to succeed, and Alice Parks--friendliest. Again this year, the Homecoming queen, Mary Springs, came from our class as did two attendants, Naida Burch and Shirley Borum. J. W. Merrell, Dale Hanks, Ronald Bundren, and Larry Shaw are on the varsity basketball team, and Velma Graves and Alice Parks are varsity team cheerleaders. We have a Student Council for the first time, and our representatives are Larry Shaw--President, Gary Nolen--Vice President, Janet Cox--Secretary, and Mary Springs--Treasurer. Larry Shaw and Gary Nolen were elected to represent the Student Council in Chicago at the Student Council Convention. Mary Springs received the D.A.R. and Valedictorian, -----and Janet Cox was chosen as Salutatorian. As the years pass, we will look back upon our high school experiences and this yearbook with memories that will linger forever.

By Janet Cox



JANET COX

Chorus 3 Years; Annual Staff 1 Year; Student Council 1 Year; Nuz and Vuz 2 Years; Drama 2 Years; Class Favorite 2 Years; FHA 1 Year; Office Staff 1 Year.

ALICE PARKS

Chorus 3 Years; Band 1 Year; Class Officer 1 Year; Office Staff 1 Year; Pep Club 2 Years; Cheerleader 2 Years; Drama 1 Year; Most Friendly 2 Years; FHA 1 Year.



LARRY SHAW

Class Officer 1 Year; Student Council 1 Year; Basketball 3 Years; Baseball 1 Year; Most Attractive 1 Year; Class Favorite 1 Year.



DON MARTIN

Chorus 1 Year; Library 1 Year; Drama 1 Year.

NAIDA BURCH

Class Officer 1 Year; Annual Staff 2 Years; Queen Candidate 1 Year; Most Attractive 3 Years.





BETTY BEASLEY

Chorus 1 Year; Class Officer 1 Year; Library 2 Years; Nuz and Vuz 1 Year; Pep Club 2 Years; FHA 2 Years.

SHIRLEY BELL

Chorus 1 Year; Library 1 Year; Nuz and Vuz 1 Year; Pep Club 2 Years.



RONALD BUNDREN

Nuz and Vuz 1 Year; Basketball 3 Years; Baseball 2 Years.



DALE HANKS

Drama 1 Year; Basketball 4 Years; Baseball 1 Year.

DELORES FURLOW

Chorus 4 Years; Pep Club 2 Years; FHA 1 Year.





SHIRLEY BORUM

Chorus 2 Years; Class Officer
2 Years; Pep Club 2 Years;
Queen Candidate 1 Year;
Queen Attendant 1 Year;
Most Athletic 2 Years; Class
Favorite 1 Year; FHA 2 Years.

JUDITH RENTFRO

Chorus 3 Years; Band 1 Year;
Pep Club 2 Years; FHA 2
Years.



LYMAN TANNER

Chorus 3 Years; Band 1 Year.



SUE HOSMON

Chorus 2 Years; Pep Club 2
Years; FHA 3 Years.



GEORGE PARKS

Basketball 1 Year; Baseball
1 Year; Basketball Manager
1 Year.





VELMA GRAVES

Nuz and Vuz 2 Years; Pep Club 2 Years; Cheerleader 2 Years; Queen 1 Year; Most Studious 1 Year; FHA 1 Year.

SHIRLEY MARTIN

Chorus 2 Years; Pep Club 2 Years; Drama 1 Year; FHA 2 Years.



GENE PARKS

Class Officer 2 Years; Library 3 Years; Basketball Manager 1 Year; Scorekeeper 1 Year.



BILL TURNER

Baseball 2 Years; Track 3 Years.

KAY SPRINGHART

Nuz and Vuz 1 Year; Pep Club 2 Years; Drama 2 Years; Most Flirtatious 1 Year.





J. W. MERRELL

Class Officer 1 Year; Basketball 3 Years; Baseball 4 Years; Track 3 Years; Most Athletic 1 Year.

COLLEEN WHARRY

Annual Editor 2 Years; Nuz and Vuz 1 Year; Pep Club 2 Years; Drama 1 Year; Most Athletic 1 Year.



MARY SPRINGS

Chorus 4 Years; Sextette 4 Years; Student Council 1 Year; Nuz and Vuz 3 Years; Pep Club 2 Years; Drama 2 Years; Queen 1 Year; Queen Attendant 1 Year; Most Likely to Succeed 2 Years; FHA 1 Year.



BETTY ODUM

Chorus 4 Years; Pep Club 2 Years; Drama 1 Year.



GARY NOLEN

Class Officer 1 Year; Student Council 1 Year; Drama 1 Year; Most Likely to Succeed 1 Year.





WILLIAM GRIFFIN
Library 1 Year; Basketball 1
Year.

RONALD PARKS
Chorus 1 Year; Library 1 Year;
Drama 2 Years.



NINA SIMS
Chorus 1 Year; Pep Club 1
Year; FHA 3 Years.



RONALD EVETTS

IVA HINCHCLIFF
Pep Club 1 Year

MAYME NEWELL
Chorus 1 Year; Pep Club 1
Year.



Class Will

We, the class of 1956, Crab Orchard High School, approaching the end of our Senior year, do give and bequeath our school possessions to the following:

To the Faculty, we bequeath our thanks for the many hours they have spent trying to help us be better students.

To the Juniors, we leave all our wasted hours in class: May they strive to be better students than we have been.

To the Sophomores, we leave our sophistication and self-confidence. We are sure they will need it in their future years of high school.

To the Freshmen, we leave all the good memories and fun of C. O. H. S. that we have had during the past four years.

I, Betty Beasley, will my American History to David Lee Turner.

I, Shirley Bell, will my seat in Shorthand II class to Elizabeth Richey.

I, Shirley Borum, will my ability to play basketball to Regina Hill.

I, Ronald Bundren, will my appetite for hot tamales to Larry Hearn.

I, Naida Burch, will my blond hair to Connie Sue Doughty.

I, Janet Cox, will my giggles to Delores Boester.

I, Ronald Evetts, will all memories of C. O. H. S. to Max Rush.

I, Delores Furlow, will my loudness to Martha Buckner.

I, Velma Graves, will my cheerleading ability to Betty Cline.

I, William Griffin, will my bookkeeping book to Forrest Parks.

I, Dale Hanks, will my way with the Marion girls to Terry Moore.

I, Iva Hinchcliff, will my old locker to Sue Beasley.

I, Sue Hosmon, will my place in FHA to Linda Sims.

I, Don Martin, will my curly hair to Gordon Holmes.

I, Shirley Martin, will my freckles to Landa Sims.

I, J. W. Merrell, will my athletic ability to Larry Boles.

I, Mayme Newell, will Larry Wall to anyone who wants him.

I, Gary Nolen, will my nickname "Chicken" to Marvin Borum.

I, Betty Odum, will first-hour study hall to Eddie Turner.

I, Alice Parks, will Errol Don Mandrell to Judy Parton.

I, Gene Parks, will my seat in English IV class to Larry Wall.

I, George Parks, will my band suit to James Doughty.

I, Ronald Parks, will my place at the Ranch to Errol Mandrell.

I, Judy Rentfro, will my baton to Jerry McMillan.

I, Larry Shaw, will my A's to Richard Legereit.

I, Nina Sims, will the freshmen boys to Janice Davis.

I, Kay Springhart, will my nickname "Flirtatious" to Sue Clark.

I, Mary Springs, will my place in the sextet to Loretta Richey.

I, Lyman Tanner, will my old girlfriends to Calvin Glenn.

I, Bill Turner, will my muscles to Harold Rector.

I, Colleen Wharry, will my old romances to my sister, Carolyn.

By - Shirley Bell

Senior Class Prophecy

Betty Beasley now works in a beauty shop as a hair stylist and also gives advice on how to keep your figure "trim."

Velma Graves has created a new dance. She hasn't named it yet but it really sends her places.

Kay Springhart is married for her 3rd time and lives on a ranch in Colorado.

Ronald Parks has started giving dancing lessons, he specializes in the new "Rock and Roll" type of dance.

Mary Springs is now the famous night club singer and she has two shows nightly at the "Flamingo Club" in St. Louis.

Ronald Evetts has turned out to be a song writer. His latest is "Lonesome and Disgusted."

Gene Parks now owns a horse ranch south of Crab Orchard and has started a new system. He rides cows to round up the horses.

Betty Odum is now spending a ten day honeymoon in "Bermuda" with her husband, Dale Hanks who is owner of the new radio station WIND at Crab Orchard.

Gary (Chicken) Nolen was sent to "Sing Sing" for robbing a bank to buy bubble gum.

Lyman Tanner is now the football coach at U. C. L. A. He got his experience from C. O. H. S.

Don Martin is owner of the new Dykersburg Hotel and Nina Sims works there as head waitress.

A 3/C J. W. Merrill who has recently served 20 years in the U. S. Air Force has decided to settle down to a quiet and happy married life with his wife in Honolulu.

Naida Burch has just received the position of Airline Stewardess of T. W. A.

Sue Hosmon was elected "Miss America" of 1956 and she is now living a happy married life with George Parks.

William Griffin is now a jockey and Ronald Bundren, who is married to Janet Cox, is his manager.

Colleen Wharry and Bill Turner are married and having trouble meeting the bills for their redheaded triplets.

Shirley Bell and Shirley Borum are the owners of the Shirley B. Department Store in Connecticut.

Larry Shaw and Delores Furlow own the Cadillac Corporation and their motto is "Come to us when your wages are low and you don't have much 'dough'."

Judy Rentfro is a Homemaking teacher and is learning how to cook with the new electronic oven.

Alice Parks and Iva Hinchcliff have gone to nurses training and they are now registered nurses at the Poordo Memorial Hospital.

Shirley Martin and Mayme Newell along with their husbands own a candy factory and they make M & N's.

By

Phyllis Kobler

Jewell Parton



JUNIORS



Junior Officers

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President

HERMAN TURNER

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CHRISTINE TEAL

SUE BEASLEY

GORDON BRAMLET



RONALD DAVIS

LA FERN BENARD





HAROLD RECTOR



CAROLYN VOGT



CHRISTINE TEAL



FRANKLIN STARRICK

MORRIS TEAL

EDWARD TURNER



HERMAN TURNER

LARRY WALL





MARY CLINE



JAMES FLETCHER



LINDELL LOLLAR



JEWELL PARTON

RICHARD McMILLEN

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REGINA HILL

GARY ODUM

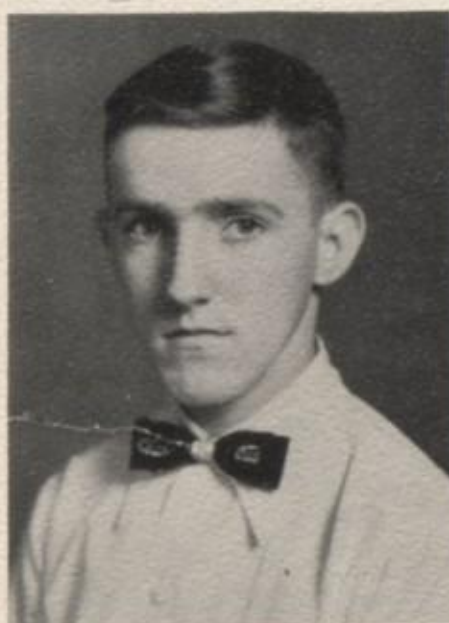


ARLON MOULTON

CAROL STAHLHUT

JERRY McMILLEN

FRANCIS HOSMAN



ELIZABETH RICHEY

LOWELL MAUSEY





Our Freshman Twins
CULBRETH AND DOUGHTY



Four Years Perfect Attendance
DON AND SHIRLEY MARTIN, ALICE PARKS



LITTLE EGYPTIAN CONFERENCE '55

BOOKKEEPING

Don Martin - Second Place
Gary Nolen - First Place
SHORTHAND I, First Place
TYPING II, Fourth Place
Janet Cox

Regina Hill - Second Place
Mozart's Fantasia
in D. Minor





SOPHOMORES

Sophomore Officers

Secretary - Treasurer
Landa Sims

President
Larry Boles

Vice President
J. D. Motsinger



James Bundren



Sue Clark



Betty Cline



Janice Davis



George Duty



Nilagene Edwards

Larry Furlow

Calvin Glenn



James Hankins

Rita Hastings



Larry Hearn

Judith Hendrick



Gordon Holmes

Lindell King



Richard Legereit

Errol Mandrell

Robert Martin

Beverly Mayhew



Paul McGuire

Bonnie Motsinger



Jerry Motsinger

Glen Parker



Judith Parton

Bernice Roberts



Max Rush

Landa Sims

Linda Sims

Cecelia Smiley



Dona Snoddy

Terry Stanley



Olga Stath

Dorris Tanner



David Turner

Dorothy Rushing



Marvin Borum

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Joyce Beasley

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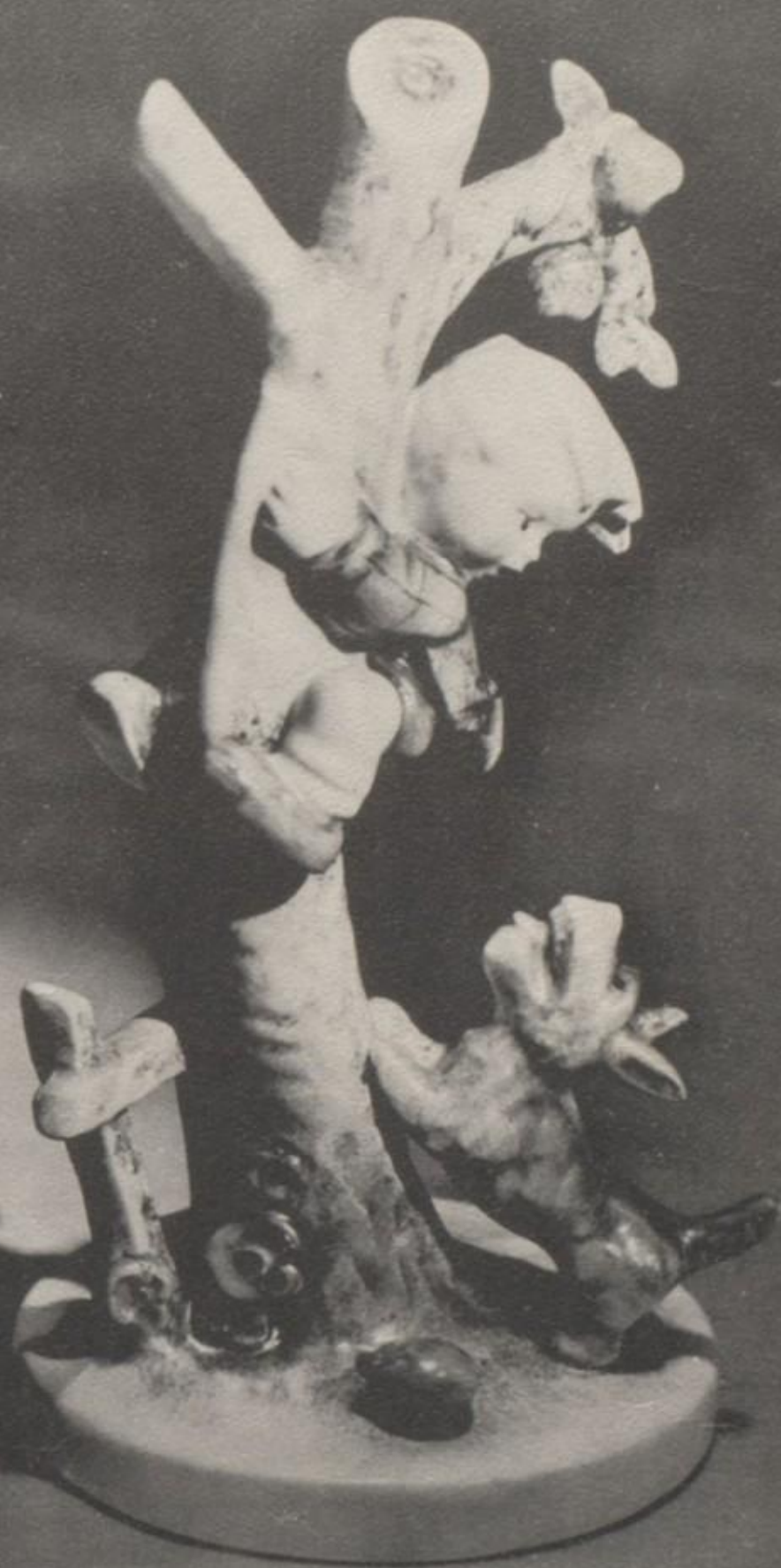


Larry Boles

Martha Buckner



Visitation Day
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Sophomores



FRESHMEN



Freshman Officers

Secretary - Treasurer, - - - - - Sandra Beasley

President, - - - - - Dee Ozment

Vice President, - - - - - Darryl Arnold



Madge Tanner

James Teal

Paul Utley



Carolyn Wharry

Jimmie White

Denzil Wise

Darryl Arnold

Alvin Beasley

Dale Beasley



Sandra Beasley

Jerry Boles

Betty Burlison



Brenda Culbreth

Noel Culbreth

Frank Davis



Karen Doss

Connie Doughty

James Doughty

Teddy Edds

Norma Edwards

Dale Hastings



Ruby Rushing

John Howat

Brenda Lind



Albert Mataya

Judith McDonald

Frank Motsinger



Lyle Ozment

Forrest Parks

Gene Parton

Gene Peebles

Ronald Peebles

Gene Rentfro



Gaylon Parks

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Grant Richey

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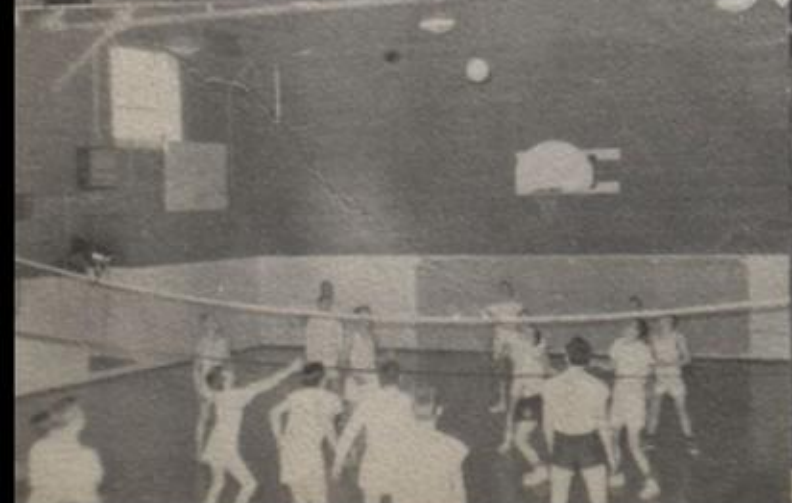
Michael Richey



Donald Smith

Gary Tanner

Kathrine Tanner





ELEMENTARY



Jerry King



Adena Furlow

Mr.



Nolen



Donna Cain



Jerry Davis

Crab Orchard

Carolyn McDonald
Carl Rector

Beverly Kobler
Morris Curtner

Edward Hankins
Phyllis Clarida

Donald Bramlet
Bonieva Beasley

Patricia Springhart
Raymond Stephens

Gale Clarida
Dwight Lemasters

William Rector
Joyce Combs

Gary Chamness
Phyllis Legereit

Patricia Alikonis
Danny Odum

John Turner
Eugene Benard

Allen Benard
Delores Killman

Lou Eva Manier
Dale Kobler

Donald Utley
Dale Rentfro

Wendell Rector
Danny Gray





John Combs



Ruth Payne



Mrs. McAnelly



Nancy Cain



Brenda Cline



John Turner

Crab Orchard

Susan Alikonis
Joy Bramlet

Marilyn Rentfro
Gene Fuller

Sue Bramlet
Johnny Graves

Glen Gibbons
David Green

Edward Killman
Freddie Motsinger

Robert Hays
Saundra Hill

Clarence Payne
Rosemary Rector

Billy Killman
Phyllis Moulton

Donald Sims
Louise Stephens

Aleta Smith
Betty Motsinger

Michael Coleman
Larry Benard

Beverley Browning
Marilee Kahlor



Pamela Carter

Robert Parks

Darla Wharry

Tommy Rushing

John Davis

Kathy Fox

Crab



Gary Banks



Richard Cain
Eileen Coleman



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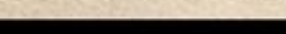
Stephanie Kelly
Lana Oelheim



Kenneth Lemasters
William McDonald



Stephen Poole
Daniel Roby



Linda Oelheim
Dean Parks



Treasa Beasley
Albert Benard



Jerry Rector
Michael Richey



Judith Campbell
Sheri Chamness



Charlotte Smith
Judith Springhart



Janet Furlow
Darryl Galloway



Ronnie Stahlhut
Steven Stapleton



Orchard



Mrs.
Miller



Roger Beasley



Paulton School



Mr. Kimmel

Wesley Martin
Wretha Parton



Johnny Furlow
Sharon Moore

Noah Norris
Donna Furlow



Jimmy Smiley
Sharon Rebecca

Kenneth Orr
Carolyn Richey



Harold Parton
Ruth Thurston

William Culbreth
James Griffin



J. D. Evans
Donna Harris

Connie Roberts
Joe Gray



Wallace Hughes
Mildred Moore

Donna Orr
Gary Hastings



Lee Boatright
Jeanie Heltsley



Paulton

Mrs.



School

Campbell



Gayla Harris
Jerry Norris

Charles Orr
Linda Heltsley



Marvin Lollar
Sharon Nickelson

Sue Davis
Terry Merrell



Judy Heltsley
Robert Moore

George Jones
Donna Norris



Ben Bowman
Sandra Jones

Mary Allen



Paulton School



Mrs. Shotton



Ralph Mataya



Harry Boatright
Sue Roberts



Larry Roberts
Glenna Foss



Joan Mocaby
Jimmie Furlow



Terry Parton
Eva Varner



Janene Hastings
Gary Culbreth



Bobby Norris
Linda Harris



Sue Rebecca
David Merrell



Alan Ozment
Myrtle Browning



Phyllis Hearn
Lowell Allen



Carl Norris
Stevie Turner



Marlene Wharry
Ronnie Hearn



Bobby Vensil



Sila Orr



John Norris





Mr. Beasley

Arnold School

Janet Beasley



Brenda Parton
Anna Cline

Barbara Richey
Jane Hutson

Karen Hearn
Eugene Borum

Kenneth Morris
Faye Cline

Jerry Beasley
Deon Davis

Alicia McGuire
Richard Parks

Jane Riddle
Gary Bundren

Terry Tanner
David Fiveash

Paula Parks
Janet Hearn

Kenneth Odum
Linda Morris

Danny Richey
Charles Davis

Ronnie Borum
Donnie McGuire

Joann Glenn
Janet Doss

Ray Odum
Jane McGuire



Arnold School



Mrs. Nickols



Delores Beasley



Nancy Beasley
Kenneth Davis



Gary Beasley
James McGuire



Linda Johns
Loudene McGuire



Paula Youngblood
Carolyn Beasley



Jane Fiveash
Roger Hearn



Charlene Youngblood
Roger Hutson



Barbara Davis
Tommy Parks



Brenda Bundren
Ruth Bundren



Donald Davis
David McAlpin



Gary Parks
Barbara Youngblood



Billy Beasley



The Arnold Group

Parks School

Miss Nolen
Dorothy Hosmon

Donald Snoddy
Ronald Jochum

Marlin Snoddy
Beverly Richey

Brenda Killman
Betty Sims

Patsy Tanner
Betty Roberts

Carolyn Miller
Phillip Miller

Harriet Hosman
Lillian Tanner

Estes Hosmon
Wilda Swan

James Tanner
Jeffrey Richey

Carol Sims
Donald Sims

Judith Hosmon
Robert Burns

Janet Hosmon

Terry Bailey

Samuel Tanner

Nancy Sims

William Doughty



Mayhew School



Mr. Jones



James Burch



Mackie Richey
Sue Wise

Stevie Arnold
Kathryn Graves



Ronnie Martin
Linda Arnold

Edward Bell
Dianne Edwards



Larry Bell
Minnie Duty

John Springs
Jimmy Martin



Roger Odom
Leota Jones

Larry Turner
Blaine Duty



William Parks

Joyce Bailey



Henshaw School



Mr. Beggs

June Burnett



Russell Buckner
Judy Edds

John McMillen
Billy Holmes



Arthur Burnett
Bonnie Cagle

Lela Burnett
Sue Burnett



Thomas McMillen
Alice Holmes

Peggy Edds
James Segers



Robert Holmes
Etta Burnett

Carl Burnett



Ronald Holmes

Robert Cagle



Motsinger School

Mrs. Sims
David Bundren

Nancy Logsdon
Billy Starnes

Marie Vogt
Bernie Vogt

Cheryl Tanner
Gerald Morris

Myrna Brush
Richard Bundren

Peggy Tanner
Frankie Campbell

Joan Logsdon
Roger Sims

Jane Blumenstock
Robert Logsdon

Lana Furlow
Bill Campbell

Barbara Campbell
Dale Laningham

Janice Tanner
Allen Burdren

Carolyn Baker
Larry Tanner

Patsy Smiley
Freddie Furlow

Stephen Fry
Nadine Auton

Anna Parks

Mary Smiley



Shelton School

Mrs. Parks
Bernice Hankins

Deloris Killman
Monty Stricklin

Jackie Deering
Judith McSparin

Brenda Hankins
Jerry Bailey

James Turner
Mary Turner

Mary McSparin
Yvonne Black

Gary Deering
Floyd Brush

Danny Swan
Margaret Killman

Patsy McSparin
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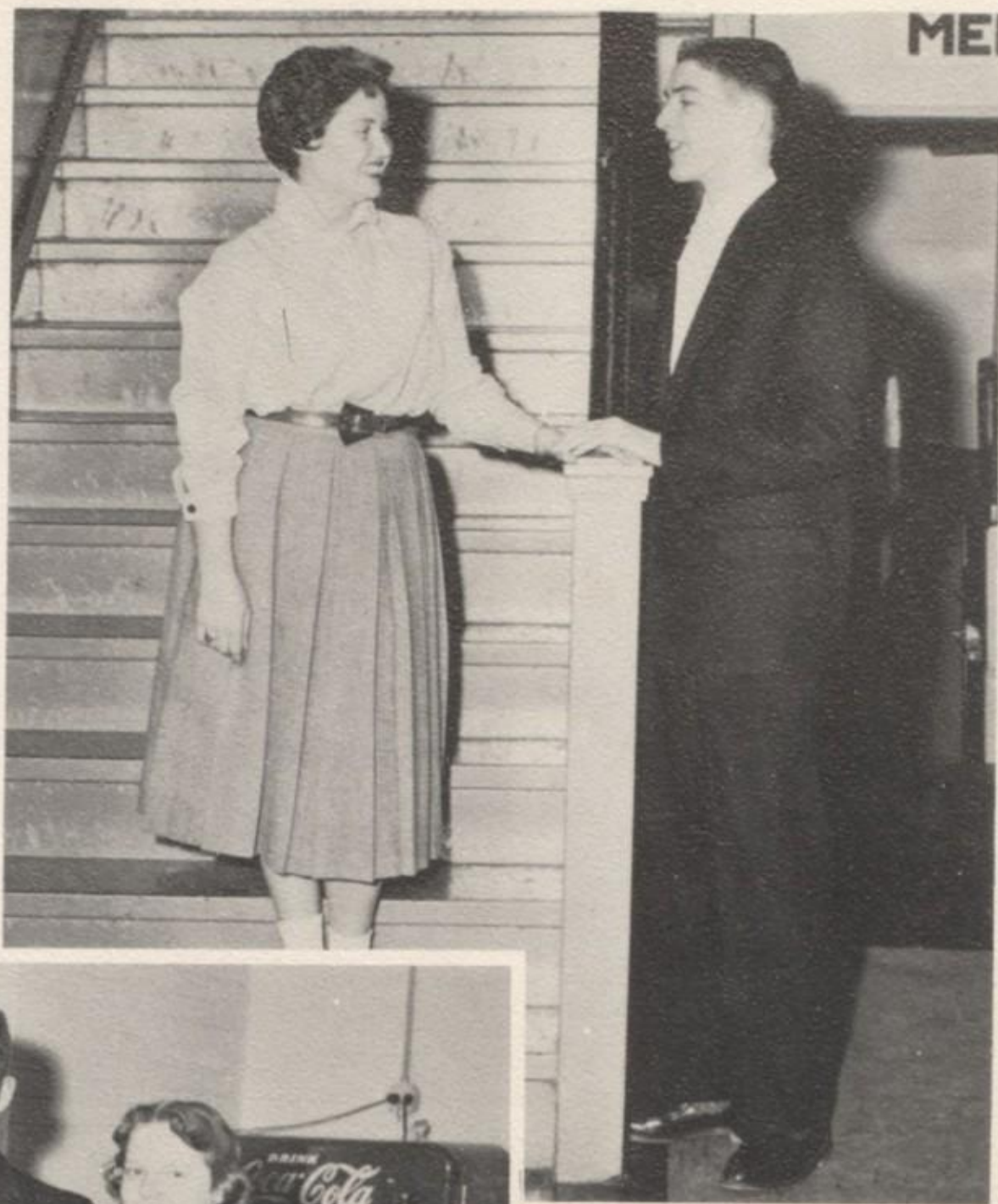
FAVORITES

Favorites

Senior

JANET COX

LARRY SHAW



Junior

TERRY MOORE

CAROLYN VOGT



Favorites

Sophomore

LARRY BOLES

BEVERLY MAYHEW

Freshmen

SANDRA BEASLEY

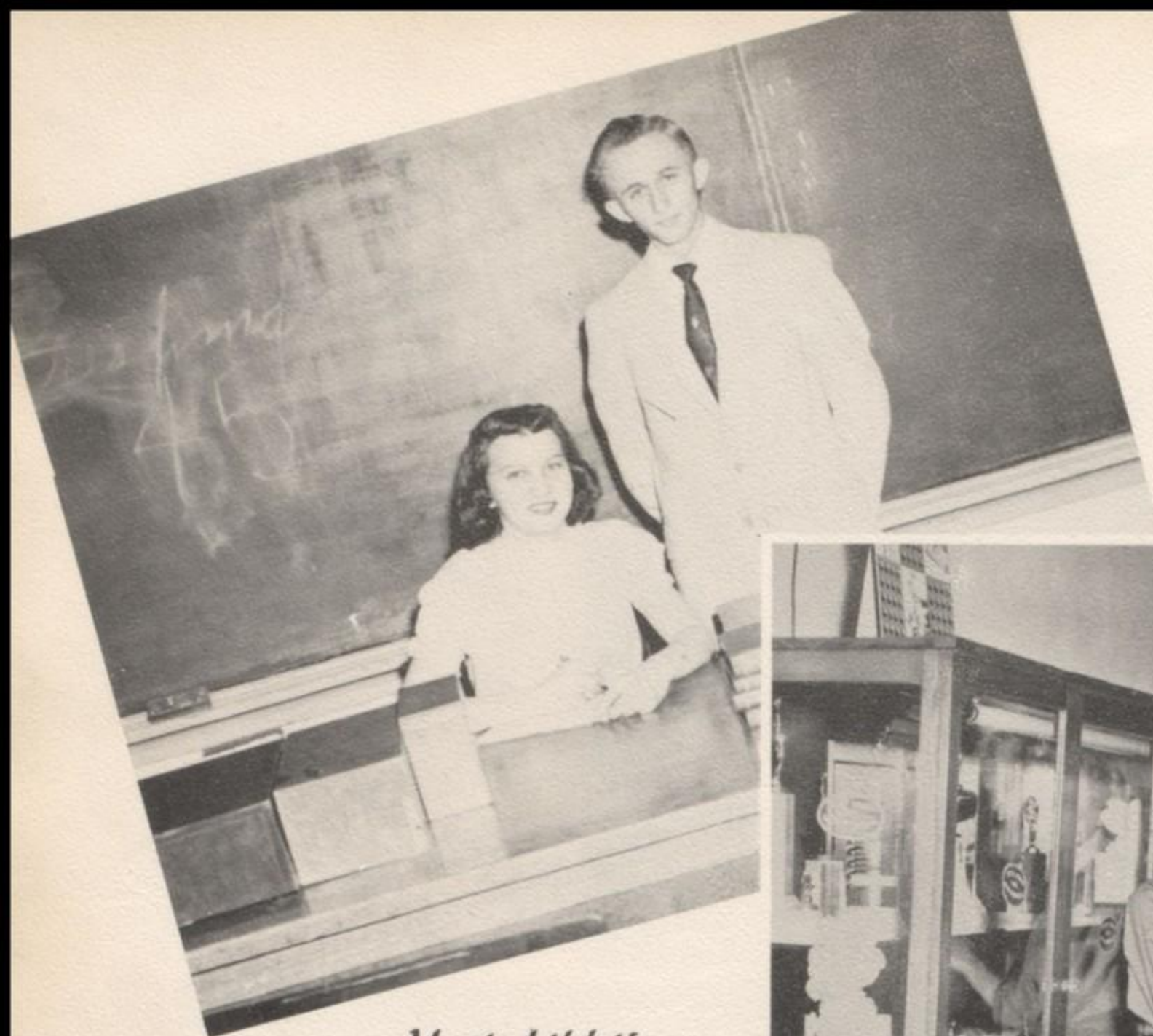
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*Most Likely
to Succeed*

MARY SPRINGS

GARY NOLEN



Most Athletic

SHIRLEY BORUM

J. W. MERRELL



Most Studious

LARRY BOLES

BETTY BURLISON



Friendliest

ALICE PARKS

DAVID TURNER



Most Attractive

LARRY SHAW

NAIDA BURCH



*Most
Flirtatious
and
Bashful*

CALVIN GLENN

SUE CLARK





Homecoming

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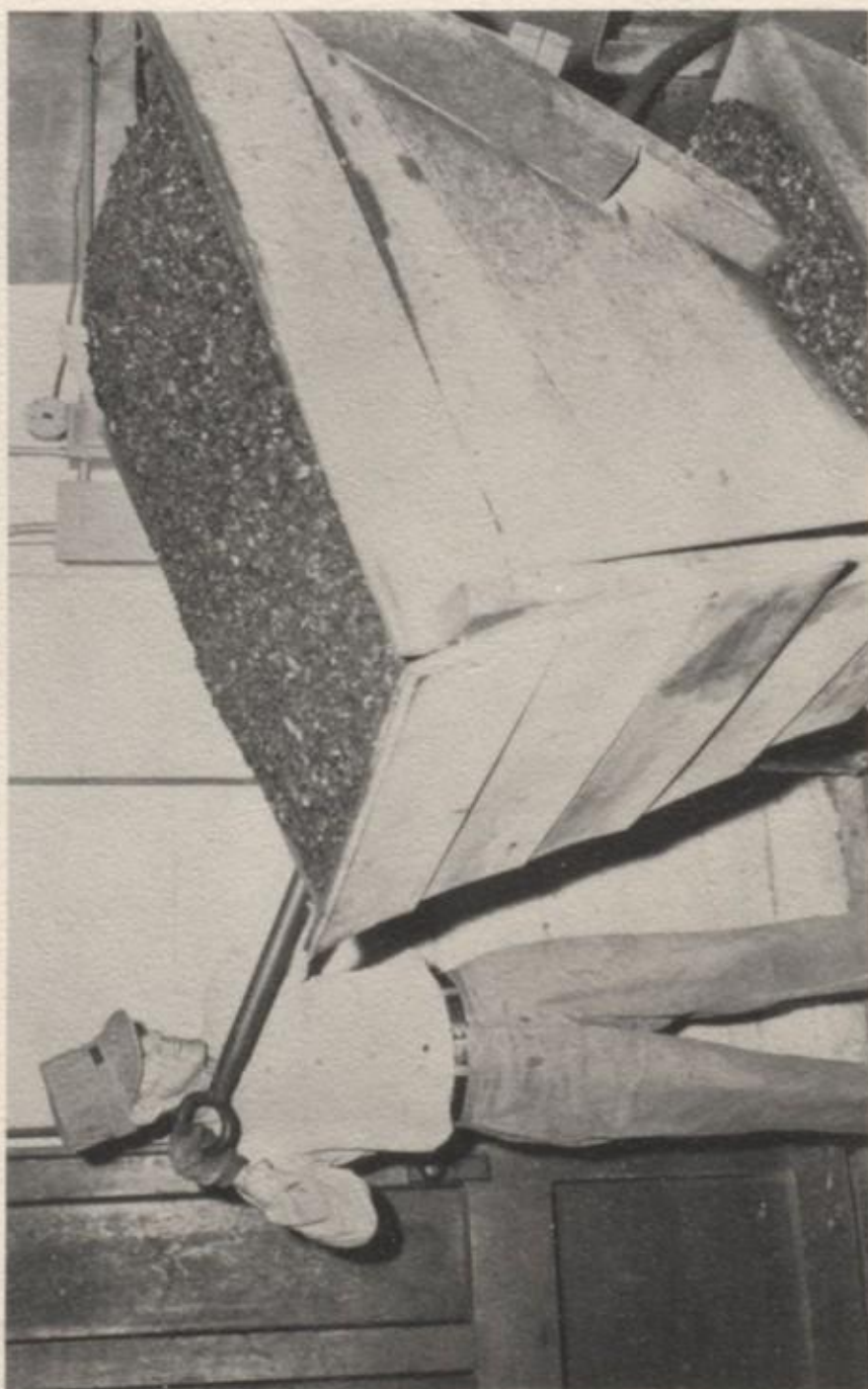
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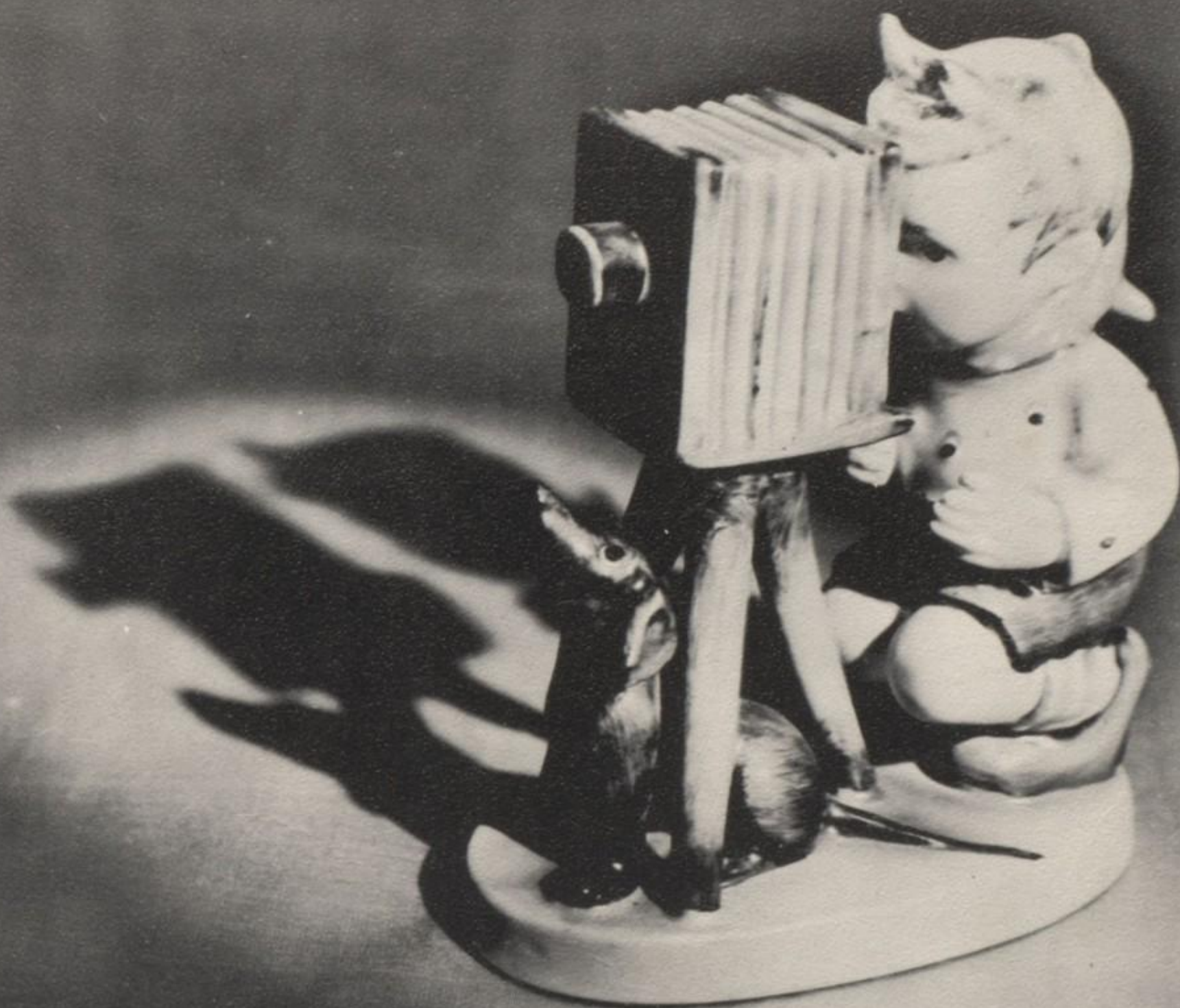
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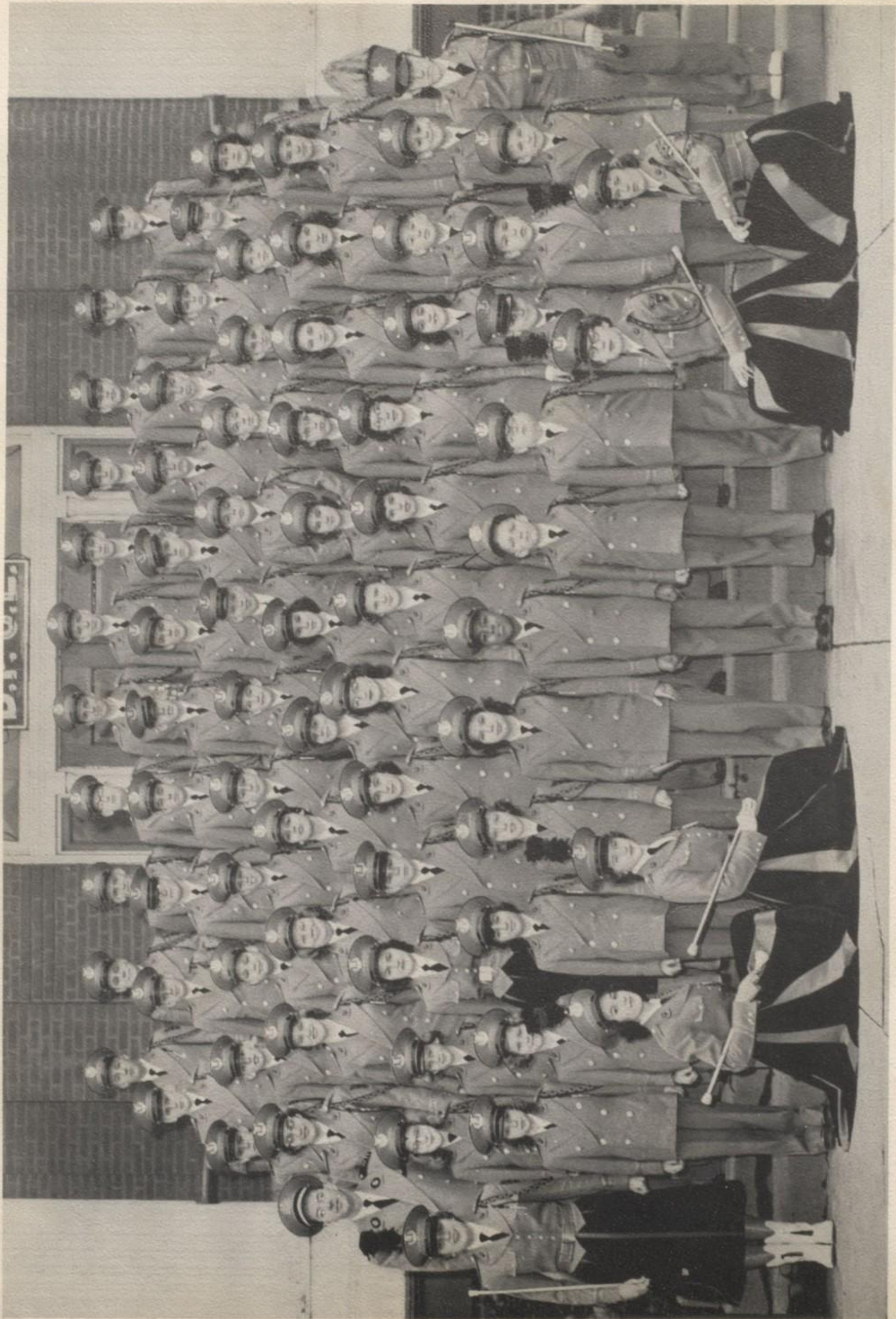
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SOPRANOS: Joyce Beasley, Shirley Borum, Betty Cline, Brenda Culbreth, Janice Davis, Karen Doss, Connie Doughty, Delores Furlow, Judy Hendrick, Frances Hosman, Brenda Lind, Judy McDonald, Beverly Mayhew, Alice Parks, Bernice Roberts, Landa Sims, Nina Sims, Donna Snoddy, Mary Springs, Katherine Tanner, Carolyn Vogt, Carolyn Wharry. ALTOS: Sandra Beasley, Delores Boester, Martha Buckner, Mary Alice Cline, Janet Cox, Norma Edwards, Rita Hastings, Sue Hosman, Phyllis Kobler, Katherine Mataya, Bonnie Motsinger, Betty Odum, Jewell Parton, Judy Parton, Judy Rentfro, Elizabeth Richey, Loretta Richey, Linda Sims, Cecelia Smiley, Olga Stath, Dorris Tanner, Josephine Varner. TENORS: Dale Beasley, Jerry Boles, Lyle Ozment, Gaylon Parks, Glen Jarton, Ronnie Peebels, Paul Utley. BASSES: James Doughty, Dale Hastings, Wayne Hughes, Lindell King, Paul McGuire, Albert Mataya, Donald Smith, David Turner, Danzil Wise, George Parks, Lyman Tanner, Donald Richey. Director, Mr. Rodenberg.



Sextet

Left to right:

Janice Davis
 Mary Springs
 Katherine Mataya
 Phyllis Kobler
 Jewell Parton
 Elizabeth Richey

Accompanist
 Regina Hill



S t u d e n t C o u n c i l

Left to right, standing: Larry Shaw, President; Gary Nolen, Vice President; Janet Cox, Secretary; Mary Springs, Treasurer; James Bundren, Gordon Bramlet, Larry Boles, Mr. Sanders, Advisor.

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Band Clinic Comes to Crab Orchard



After two days of hard work under Dean Dowdy, Director of the Hopkins County, Kentucky Department of Music and Supervisor of Music at Madisonville High School, the students were given a chance at the Friday night Concert to show their Directors, Band, Parents, and Public that much had been accomplished in the two day clinic. Fifteen High Schools participated. Most of their Directors are shown on the stage along with our Band Association Officers, Superintendent and Principal.

The schools participating were:

Anna
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Springerton
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Thanks to the PTA and Band Association for much time and money which made it possible for our band to now enjoy uniforms.

Oeft: PTA President Mr. Hayes presenting check to Band Association President, Mrs. King.

Below: Band Association Secretary Mrs. Chamness presents check to the Secretary of the Board of Education, Mr. Kobler.



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C. O. High	66	Equality	62
C. O. High	61	Attucks	89
C. O. High	73	Woodlawn	103
C. O. High	45	Dahlgren	57
C. O. High	58	Royalton	82
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Season's



Results

C. O. High	75	Bluford	64
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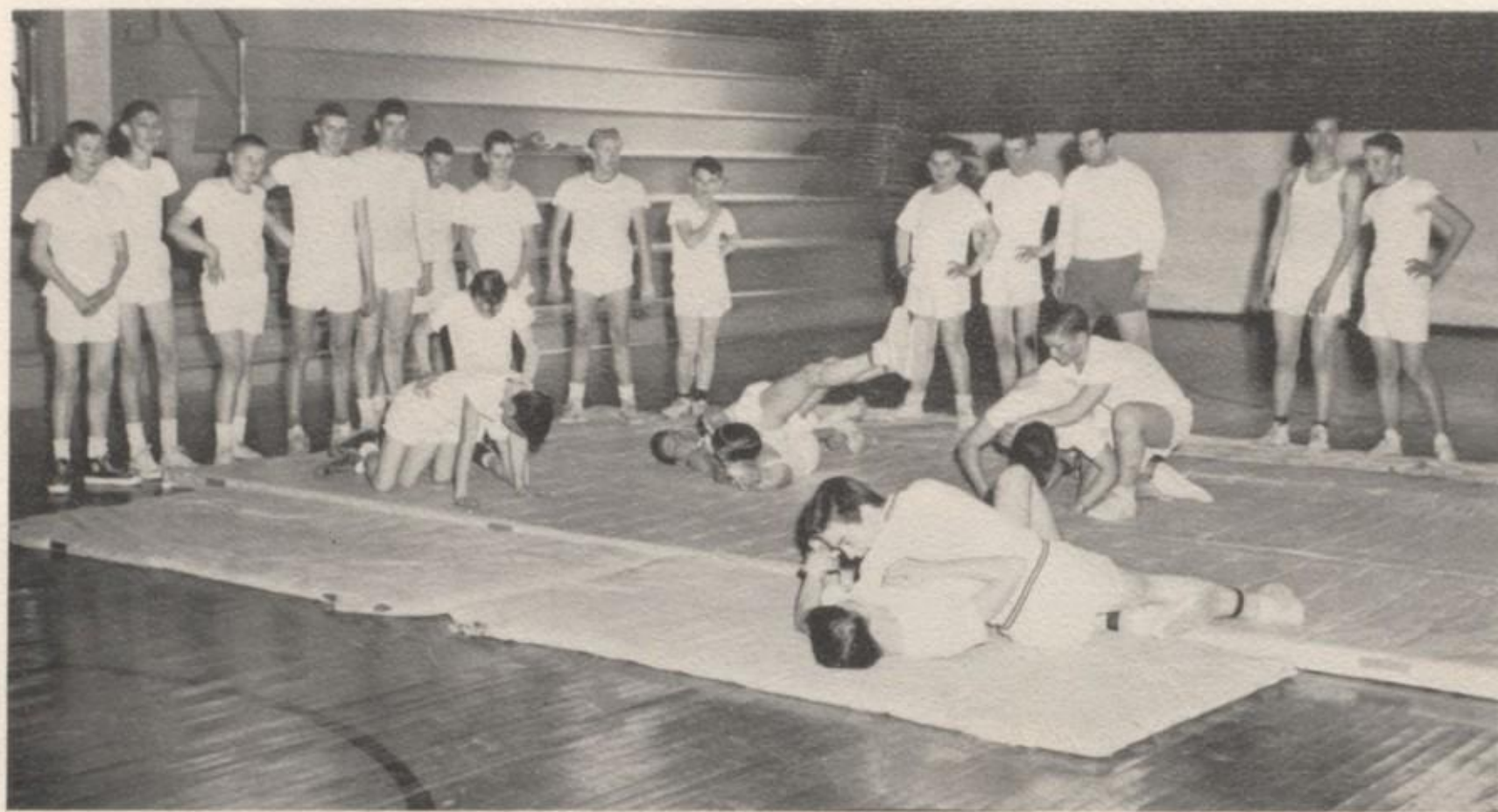
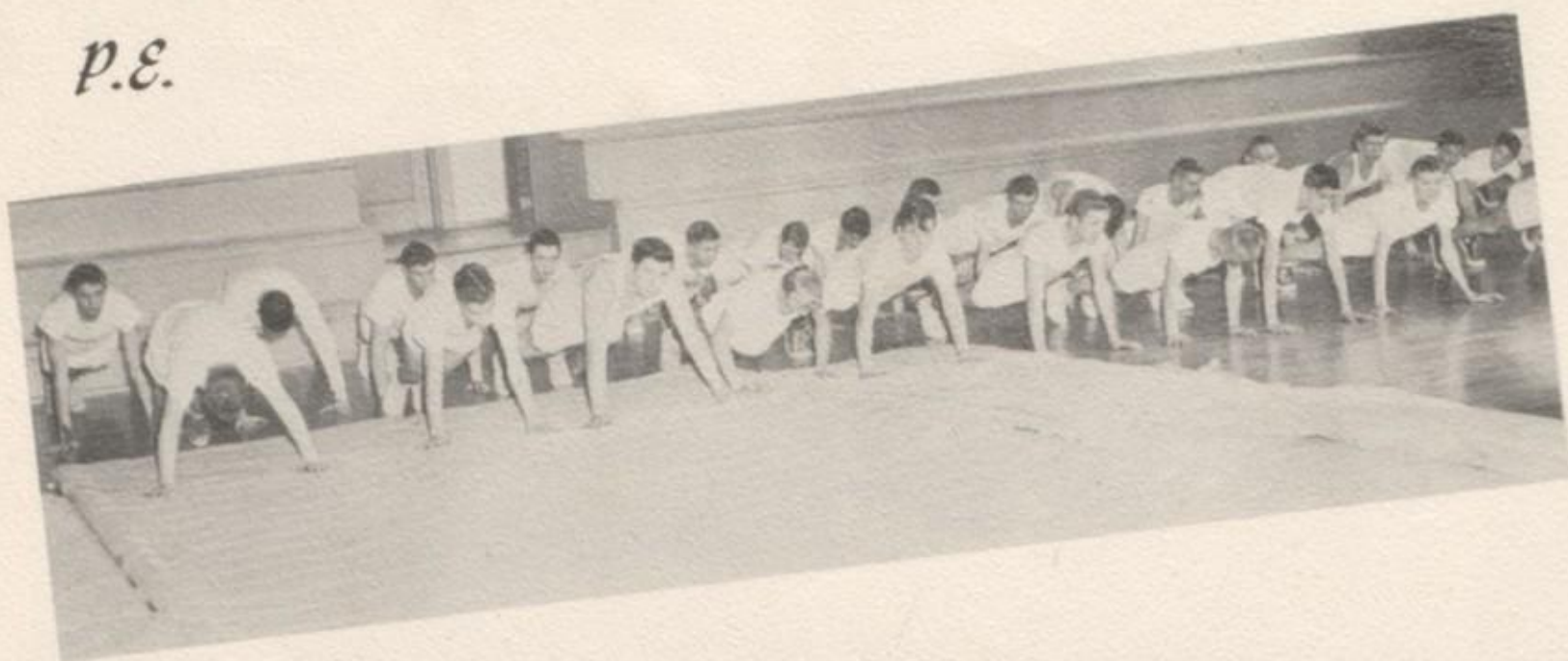
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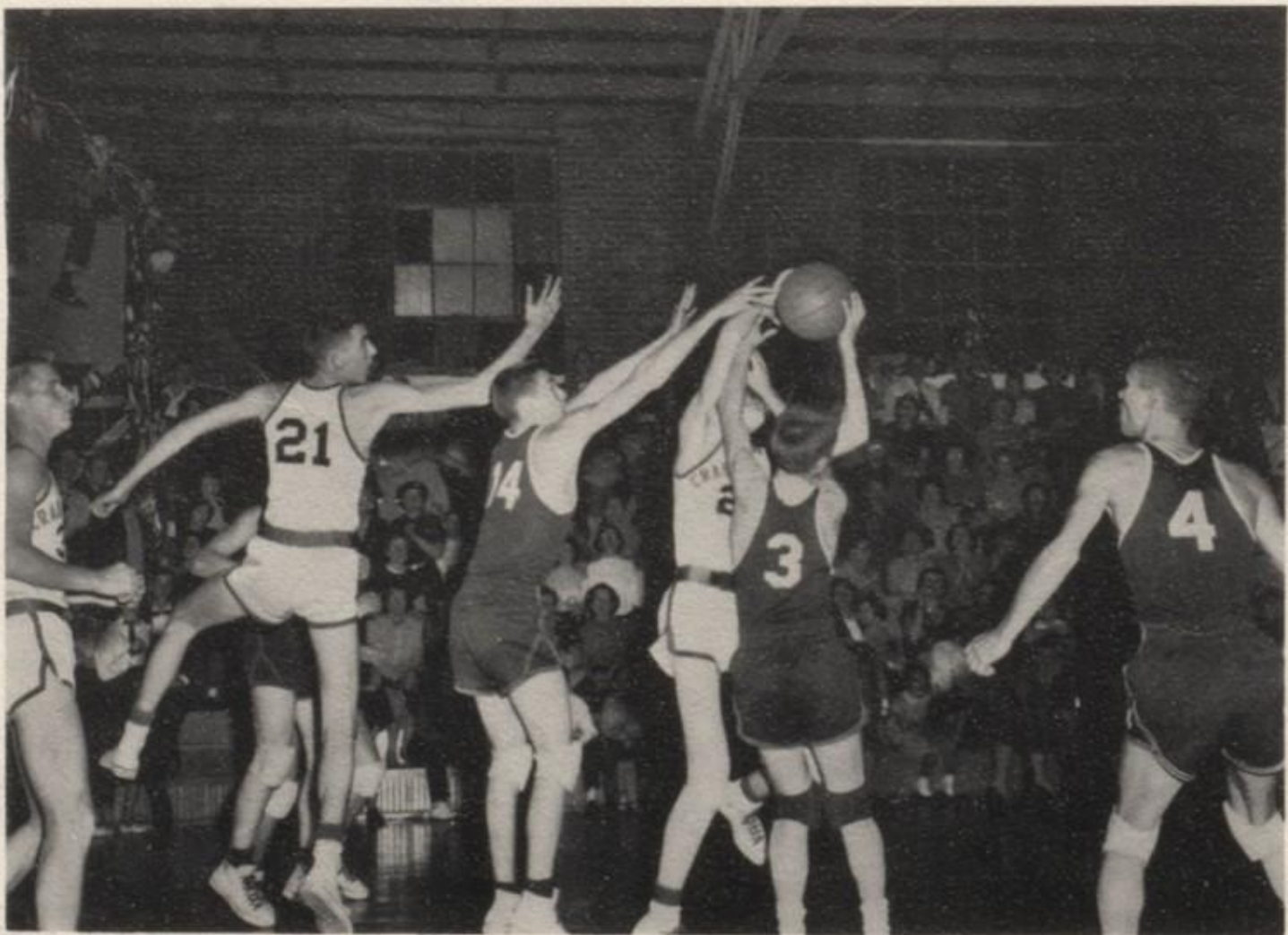
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